## REGIONAL CONDITIONS MISSISSIPPI

There are no regional conditions in effect in the State of Mississippi for the following Nationwide Permits (NWPs): 1, 8, 10, 11, 21, and 24.

- NWP 2, Structures in Artificial Canals.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
- NWP 3, Maintenance.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 4, Fish and Wildlife Harvesting, Enhancement, and Attraction Devices and Activities.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 5, Scientific Measurement Devices.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 6, Survey Activities.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 7, Outfall Structures.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. A National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Permit shall be obtained and submitted to the Corps with the preconstruction notification.
- NWP 9, Structures in Fleeting and Anchorage Areas.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
- NWP 12, Utility Line Backfill and Bedding.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 13, Bank Stabilization.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 14, Road Crossing.
  - 1. The discharge shall not cause the loss of natural tidal waters of the United States, including tidal wetlands.
  - 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.

- 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 15, U.S. Coast Guard Approved Bridges.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 16, Return Water from Upland Contained Disposal Areas.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 17, Hydropower Projects.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 18, Minor Discharges.
  - 1. For discharges of dredged or fill materials associated with construction of a residence or place where people are employed or congregate, the activity must comply with the following criteria:
    - a. For any properties at or below the 10' elevation contour (N.G.V.D.), on a United States Department of the Interior Geological Survey Quadrangle Map, the applicant shall provide documentation that the residence or establishment can make a connection to an existing OPC approved central sewage collection and treatment system or provide a State Department of Health, Soil and Site Evaluation/System Recommendation for an individual wastewater disposal system (State Department of Health Form No. 335).
    - b. A no-fill buffer zone shall be permanently maintained between any construction activity and any waterbody (including wetlands). The minimum buffer zone for the subject parcel is defined by the equation below:

Minimum Buffer Zone = (0.15)(Parcel Depth)

Where the Parcel Depth is defined as the maximum length of a line extending from the Ordinary High Water Mark (OHWM) and/or top bank or High Tide Line to the opposite property boundary. In cases of an asymmetrical parcel, the Parcel Depth will be measured as the maximum length of a line extending from OHWM or High Tide Line to the junction of two landward property boundaries. The buffer zone shall be measured as the distance between the edge of the construction activity and the top bank of the adjacent water body or to the landward extent of tidal wetlands.

- 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse including tidal waters or wetlands.
- 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units
- NWP 19, Minor Dredging.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 3. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 20, Oil Spill Cleanup.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 22, Removal of Vessels.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 23, Approved Categorical Exclusions.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 25, Structural Discharges.
  - No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.

- 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 26, Headwaters and Isolated Waters Discharges.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 27, Wetland and Riparian Restoration and Creation Activities.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 28, Modifications of Existing Marinas.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
- NWP 29, Single-Family Housing.
  - 1. For all new residences at or below the 10' elevation contour (N.G.V.D.), on a United States Department of the Interior Geological Survey Quadrangle Map, the applicant shall provide documentation that the residence or establishment can make a connection to an existing OPC approved central sewage collection and treatment system or provide a State Department of Health, Soil and Site Evaluation/System Recommendation for an individual wastewater disposal system (State Department of Health Form No. 335).
  - 2. A no-fill buffer zone shall be permanently maintained between any construction activity and any waterbody (including wetlands). The minimum buffer zone for the subject parcel is defined by the equation below:

Minimum Buffer Zone = (0.15) (Parcel Depth)

Where the Parcel Depth is defined as the maximum length of a line extending from the Ordinary High Water Mark (OHWM) and/or top bank or High Tide Line to the opposite property boundary. In cases of an asymmetrical parcel, the Parcel Depth will be measured as the maximum length of a line extending from OHWM or High Tide Line to the junction of two landward property boundaries. The buffer zone shall be measured as the distance between the edge of the construction activity and the top bank of the adjacent water body or to the landward extent of tidal wetlands.

- 3. No sewage, oil, or refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
- 4. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units
- NWP 30, Moist Soil Management for Wildlife.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 31, Maintenance of Flood Control Facilities.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
  - 2. Maintenance work shall not exceed the limitations or contours previously authorized by a Department of the Army permit.
  - 3. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 4. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 32, Completed Enforcement Actions.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 33, Temporary Construction, Access and Dewatering.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 34, Cranberry Production Activities.

- 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
- 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 35, Maintenance Dredging of Existing Flood Control Basins.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work.
- NWP 36, Boat Ramps.
  - 1. For work within the Mississippi Coastal Zone, the applicant must obtain an individual coastal consistency certification from the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources prior to commencement of work
  - 2. Boat ramp parking areas with impervious surfaces (concrete, asphalt) that have a surface area equal to or greater than one acre shall provide for stormwater management. The first 0.5 inch of stormwater runoff from impervious parking and road surfaces shall be treated using Office of Pollution Control approved best management practices before release.
  - 3. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 4. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 37, Emergency Watershed Protection and Rehabilitation.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 38, Cleanup of Hazardous and Toxic Waste.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.
- NWP 40, Farm Buildings.
  - 1. No sewage, oil, refuse, or other pollutants shall be discharged into the watercourse.
  - 2. The turbidity outside the limits of a 750-foot mixing zone shall not exceed the ambient turbidity by more than 50 Nephelometric Turbidity Units.